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From the Californian, March 15, 1848:
The Liberty of the Press consists in the right to publish the Truth, with good motives and for justifiable ends. —Alexander Hamilton.

Thinking Out Loud

By G. W. L.

"Europe on the Eve" is the title of a book, recently published by Professor Frederick L. Schumann. It is fortunate that this book was in the hands of the reading public some months ago, as the foreign situation looks now as though it would soon render the title "Europe on the Eve," out of date. With millions of men under arms, movement of troops to the borders of almost every European nation, and declarations of firmness of purpose by both Hitler, and his erstwhile appeaser, Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain of England, are not calculated to make one believe that the "Eve" is not drawing perilously close to the "Morrow."

Chamberlain, evidently having realized that the British people have had a stomach-full of "appeasement" of the Munich variety, has decided to call a halt to the ever-growing demands of the Fascist nations, this time the demand of Hitler for the Free City of Danzig, and a passageway through the Polish Corridor. It is now apparent to even so singularly a near-sighted person as Chamberlain, that Hitler's demand for the concession of Danzig to the Nazis, and the passageway through the Polish Corridor, would be merely Hitler's preliminary steps toward gobbling up all the rest of Poland. with its enormous sources of food supplies and war materials. Chamberlain must realize this if he learned anything at all from Hitler's action in swallowing all of Czecho-Slovakia, after beating his breast like a Tarzan and wailing for the few thousand Germans in the Sudetenland. Of course with Chamberlain's pronounced sympathy for the Axis powers, Germany, Italy, and Japan, it is not without the realm of probability that he may "sell-out" Poland and the Polish people to the same sort of Fascist slavery into which he sold the peoples of Czecho-Slovakia.

The problem of what is going to happen resolves into something like this: Britain, to protect her interests in the Mediterranean, and her "life-line of Empire" to India, must stop Hitler now, as after Poland is gone Hitler's "Drang nach Osten" or march to the East becomes only a matter of overcoming a few weak Balkan states, Rumania, Bulgaria, and Greece, who are already decidedly pro-Nazi in sympathy. Jugoslavia, the only other Balkan state to consider has been directly under Fascist control through Italy's "conquest" of Albania.

Hitler, on the other hand, must now keep on with his demands, until he gets them or is confronted by such a show of determination on the part of England and France (which will act as England instructs her) that he is forced to back down. This possibility is unlikely, as the Fascist economy is such that it must keep expanding, or perish. If Hitler does not get his demands on Poland and Danzig, he will undoubtedly face a revolution at home from the dissatisfied and downtrodden German workers who have suffered untold hardships to build Hitler's huge fighting machine. Hitler's only other alternative is to fight, and he must be prepared to fight a long war, and an expensive one. Military experts and his own generals do not believe that a lightning-like attack can win a war which will be resisted by not only the Poles, but by England and France as well. This plan of attack may temporarily be successful, but not when the manpower and resources of the anti-Axis powers come into full play.

In all this it is apparent that England is the keystone of resistance to Hitler, as she has most at stake. It may be necessary for the English people to either force Chamberlain to resist or put a government in office which will resist Hitler.

Chamberlain who has been jestingly called the "Fascist Umbrella Man" by the British Press for his capitulation at Munich shows signs of realizing that only "collective-security" i. e. a united front of Democratic nations against Fascism can stop Hitler. When this alignment of Democracies forms Hitler's Nazi government will collapse either through revolution at home, or the defeat of his fight-

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REPORT SAN JUAN GRAVEL PROJECT IS ABANDONED

It is reported on good authority that the Melvill interests which have been conducting an exploration through diamond drilling and shafts in the gravel deposits of the San Juan Ridge have abandoned this project Whether this is due to the high price set on the properties by owners said to aggregate $1,500,000, or not is unknown. But it seems certain that whatever value was placed on the gravel holdings, exploration of the gravel deposits failed to warrant the price asked in the minds of those who contemplated the purchase. While it has been known for sometime that Melvill was acting for one of the largest English mining companies in the world, the name of the company has never been revealed. It is estimated that more than $300,000 was expended in ascertaining the gold content of the gravel deposits.

It is surmised that the imminence of another world war may also have influenced the decision of the management of the English company to abandon the project.

LAST RITES HELD FOR DROWNED MAN

Edward Tibbetts who drowned in the Big Blue swimming hole in the diggings near Columbia Hill Sunday afternoon, was buried in the North San Juan cemetery Wednesday. Rev. Charles F. Washburn preached the service at the chapel in Holmes Funeral Home. Mrs. Charles Elliott sang two hymns and was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. E. Harris. Pall bearers were E. M. Cross, Dennis McCrandle, Dennis Wickes, George Harper, Martin Nichols and John Weilder. Tibbetts had resided in the Columbia Hill-San Juan section about six years.

WINTER PEAR PROGRAM STARTS AUGUST 26TH

Effective August 26, a marketing agreement program designed to assist winter pear growers of Oregon, California, and Washington has been given approval by growers and handlers, the Division of Marketing and Marketing Agreements of the U. S. Department of Agriculture announced today.

A marketing order, supplementing the agreement and making it applicable to all handlers, was issued following approval of the program by growers voting in a referendum, and by the signing of the agreement by handlers. Of a total of 1,263 growers voting in the referendum on the issuance of the order, 1,206, or almost 96 per cent of the growers voted in favor of the order. Handlers of 68 per cent of the total quantity of the six commercial varieties of winter pears shipped in interstate and foreign commerce from the three states during the 1938-1939 marketing season signed the marketing agreement.

Issuance of the marketing order required approval of at least 50 per cent of the volume of these pears shipped in interstate and foreign commerce during the 1938-1939 shipping season.

Requested by members of the industry, the new marketing agreement and order replaces a similar Federal program which operated during the 1938-1939 marketing season, and covers the handling in interstate commerce of Anjou, Bosc, Winter Nelis, Doyenne du Comice, Clairgeau, and Easter varieties of pears.

Administration of the program will be carried out by a grower-shipper committee of 12 members and their alternates, comprising one grower and one shipper member and alternate from each of the two districts in each of the three states.

Major provision of the new program are as follows: (1) regulation of pear shipments by minimum grades and sizes named in the agreement; (2) provision for changing such minimum grades and sizes after the first year of the program's operations; (3) Federal-State inspection of pears shipped interstate or in foreign commerce; (4) proration of administrative expenses among handlers; (5) exemption of pears for gift purposes.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR DAVID C. WAITE

David C. Waite, born and reared on the old Waite ranch on Deer Creek west of Nevada City January 14, 1878, died Tuesday afternoon. He had been a patient sufferer, ill for many years. It is believed he was poisoned by the cyanide process in milling as he had been a mill man a great portion of his life. Mr. Waite worked in mills in Nevada and Sierra counties and other parts of California, Nevada and Arizona states.

He was a cheerful man and many acts of kindness endeared him to a wide circle of friends. Surviving Mr. Waite are his daughter, Mrs. Genevieve Heller of San Francisco; and the following brothers and sisters, Matt Waite and Mrs. Effie Morgan, Sacramento; Mrs. Bertha Alexander, Kirkland, Wash.; Benjamin Waite, who resides on the old homestead west of Nevada City.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in Holmes Funeral Home chapel with Holmes Funeral Home handling arrangements. The remains were taken to Sacramento for cremation in East Lawn cemetery.

LONG MURCHIE MINE CROSSCUT IS STARTED

It is learned that work in the cross-cut on the 400 level of the Murchie mine has been started. The miners are now in virgin ground. Sometime ago it was announced that the Murchie management would drive a cross-cut from the Murchie shaft 6000 feet in length toward the North Banner area. It is estimated this work will cost $100,000. There are three large ledges known in this territory, which nearer the surface were not of good milling grade, but which may develop better values at greater depth. There is also the possibility of intersecting other ore bodies which may prove profitable. A large amount of preparatory work near the shaft was necessary before the cross-cut could be started. Modern equipment has been provided for expediting work of driving the cross-cut.

LAST RITES ARE HELD FOR CHARLES SUTCLIFFE

Mrs. Florence Kenny and husband were called to Castella Monday on account of the death of Mrs. Kenney's father, Charles Sutcliffe. He was buried Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Sutcliffe was formerly employed as a ranger at Forest Hill by the forest service and also served in the local office in the spring. At time of his death he was employed by the Oregon Power and Light Company in their substation. Sutcliffe is survived by his widow and the following daughters and son, Mrs. Florence Kenny, Nevada City; Miss Grace Sutcliffe, Oakland; Mrs. Neva Arbini, Shasta City; Mrs. Alice Lengdon, Weed; Misses May and Evelyn Sutcliffe and George Sutcliffe, Castella, and grand children; a brother, Ernest Sutcliffe, Happy Camp. Clarence Martz of Nevada City was a brother in law of Charles Sutcliffe.

MR. AND MRS. ADDISON JANES ARE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Janes of Lower Lake, Lake county, were Nevada City visitors yesterday. The two were married in Reno on July 21. Janes, who as a student in the University of California used to be life guard at the municipal pool during the summer months, has been elected to the post of physical education and science instructor in the Lower Lake high school. Mrs. Janes was formerly of Bethlehem, Penns., and before her marriage was Miss Mary Sheridan. Mr. and Mrs. Janes are guests of the Bufford family and other relatives while here.

ODD FELLOWS, ATTENTION!

There will be a drill in the First Degree tonight at the Odd Fellows Hall, and on Tuesday evening, August 27th, the First Degree will be conferred on a candidate.

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CCC BOYS PAY NO ATTENTION TO CIO PICKET LINE

Because CCC boys have been employed to do the cleaning up around the dam at Boca, instead of continuing the employment of the CIO union men there telegrams of protest have been dispatched to engineers in charge of the job and to Secretary of Interior Ickes. The CCC boys have been going through CIO picket lines. No violence is reported. Once before when a disagreement arose between the contractor and his labor forces, Ickes ordered that CCC boys be employed, but later this order was countermanded, through the influence, it is reported of Secretary of Labor Perkins.

It was reported yesterday that G. L. (Red) Adams had placed four pickets about the dam project and that the CCC boys paid no attention to the line. F. E. Gibbs reported the conditions to the Reclamation Bureau officials and was told to proceed with the work as usual. The project is all but 6 per cent concluded.

Sacramento's Industrial Union council, it is reported, sent the following telegram to Secretary Ickes Wednesday:

"Boys from the CCC camp being used to replace union men on the Boca Dam. Cannot believe your department sanctions use of labor for $1 per day to replace men with families who received minimum of $5. This action seems in direct conflict with new deal policies. Request your immediate investigation and halting of this undemocratic procedure."

The message was signed by J. T. Dudley, secretary of the CIO in Sacramento.

Dudley also issued a statement which said in part:

"The practice of using labor from CC to complete this job means that a branch of the U. S. government is adopting the Hitler policy of labor camps. If the reclamation bureau of the United States can use this method there would be nothing to prevent other departments from adopting the same plan, and the result would be that any public work where government money is used could be done by forced labor, for the munificent wages of $1 per day.

"Needless to say all labor will fight such a policy."

It will be noted in the statement above that Dudley overlooks the fact that in addition to their $1.00 a day in cash, the CCC boys also receive all their living expenses including clothes, lodging, medical care, schooling and food.

CITY SCHOOLS OPEN MONDAY

Nevada City high and elementary schools will be busy today registering students for the opening of the new high school year next Monday. During the vacation several minor improvements have been made in both schools.

The new stage for the high school auditorium-gymnasium and the craft shop built beneath it, are reported rapidly nearing completion and will be available for the use of the students early in the term. The people of the unified school district voted $20,000 bonds for this improvement.

A larger student enrollment in both elementary and high schools is anticipated.

GREEN MOUNTAIN MINE

Work started on the first of August at the Green Mountain mine situated east of the Murchie mine. About 100 tons of ore is on the dump and five stamps of a ten stamp mill purchased from the Oriental mine at Alleghany are being installed. One thousand feet of six inch pipe has been installed and it is expected that the mill be in operation in about two weeks. A seven foot vein of ore was encountered in the winze, Jim Kistle stated. Assay tests from ore on the dump were $9.40.

Underground work will be run on one shift and the mill on three shifts. The mill will be increased to ten stamp capacity as soon as enough ore is developed. Those operating the mine are James Kistle, Charles Kistle, Albert Kistle, Everett Kistle and Charles Hoskins. The Green Mountain property is owned by the Kistle family.

MANY NOT REGISTERED TO VOTE ON NOV. 7

It is estimated by county clerks of California that at least 20 per cent of those who were registered voters last November will not be able to cast their ballot, when they go to the polls on November 7 this year. And the county clerks are the keepers of the great registers, so they know whereof they are speaking.

The reason, it seems, is that 20 per cent of the registered voters failed to vote in either the August primary or the November general election of 1938, and so, voided their registration. Under the law, the county clerk had no other choice but to cancel their registration, notifying them, of course, that he had done so, and instructing them as to the method of re-registering.

Legal registration is now less than three million, whereas in 1938 it was 3,611,416.

Registration is open throughout the year, except the 39 days immediately preceding an election. Last date for registration for the special election called by Governor Olson for November 7 will be September 28.

PIONEER PARK PLAY PROGRAM BIG SUCCESS

Nevada City's first recreational program at Pioneers Park came to a close Wednesday evening, the Co-Ordinating Council completing the seasons work with a delightful program and bonfire. The women of the committees gave their reports to the council at a meeting Tuesday afternoon. A vote of thanks was voted to the women who had worked so faithfully all summer, all those assisting in making it such a big success and a special word of thanks was given the city council who very materially assisted.

Specially named are the following women who worked with the children at the park:

Mrs. Mabel Flindt, who has every Thursday gone over to the park and told stories to the 20 or 30 children who gathered there for the weekly "story telling."

Mrs. Pat Jackson for taking active interest in the weekly dances and assisting in the whole program.

Mrs. Kathleen Robinson and Mrs. Clyde Gwin, who have taught more that 30 boys and girls the fundamentals of cooking and created a great deal of interest in the subject.

Mrs. D. S. Bonebrake, who taught handcraft and block printing. She had a large class who made special gifts for their rooms and their parents. She was assisted by Miss Bonnie Flindt and expects to continue the project until Christmas. Mrs. Ed Berger who took Mrs. Bonebrake back and forth to the park each day.

NOTICE

All those who have articles of handiwork in the Nugget office may have them by calling. There are several placques and material with bloc printing on it.

ROTARY TOLD WHY COUNTY TAX RATE IS HIGHER

Owing to the fact that Governor Olson vetoed a bill apportioning among counties $6,700,000 for asistance in paying old age pensions, County Clerk R. N. McCormack, told the Rotary club yesterday at luncheon, Nevada county as well as other counties throughout the state have had to raise their tax rate. Nevada county's share of this amount would have been $23,700, which if the governor had signed the bill, been equivalent to 15 per cent on the county's assessed valuation. It would have reduced taxes in this county by 9 cents on the hundred. Instead of that the board of supervisors in order to maintain old age pensions and other county expenses on last year's basis, were forced to raise the tax rate 6 per cent making the basic tax rate, as reported some time ago in the Nugget, to $1.66 per hundred dollars, assessed valuation.

The Companions of the Forest lodge enjoyed their annual picnic in Memorial Park yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Howard Burr, Mrs. Kate Wasley and several others of Nevada City attended the happy affair.

EMPIRE MINES CO. WINS BROWN VALLEY SUIT

The Third District Court of Appeals Wednesday affirmed the decision of Judge Warren Steel of Yuba County in the case of Worthington Ames vs. Empire Star Mines Company, Ltd.

This is the first case in California deciding that the mining claimant has an extralateral right under a railroad patent.

Ames was the owner of railroad land in Browns Valley, California, adjacent to the Pennsylvania and Jefferson mines, now being extensively worked by the Empire Star Mines Company. Ames contended that his railroad patent, which was issued in 1880, confirmed his title as of the date of the definite location of the railroad in 1868, giving him title of everything from the surface to the center of the earth including the segment of the Jefferson-Pennsylvania vein within his property. The Empire Star Mines Company, Ltd., continued that because of their location of the mining claim prior to either the Railroad Act of 1866 or the definite location of the railroad in 1868, that the entire extralateral right of the vein was severed from the public domain and became part of the mining claim.

The case also involved several other novel points with respect to the validity of mining locations on school lands, and the effect of the severance of mineral rights from the overlying land, a practice long followed in Nevada County.

The case has held the interest of mining men and mining attorneys throughout the west and is hailed as a victory for the mining interests. One of the attorneys associated with the mining company's defense was Frank Finnegan of this city.

BLASTING WITH POWDER, FUSE IN FOREST BANNED

Acting in conformity with instructions received from the regional office of the forest service in San Francisco governing the national forests in California, DeWitt Nelson states that permits for burning or blasting with fuse and caps will be discontinued until further notice.

This is concurrent with similar instructions issued by the state forester on August 15, to all state forest officers in California. The use of blasting fuse and caps at a time when the forest cover is dry is dangerous, Nelson states, because pieces of burning fuse are scattered by the force of the explosion and the forest service files show numerous instances where fires have been traced to this cause. Permits are not required at any time for blasting with electric detonators, he says, since this hazard is not involved in their use.

HELD TO ANSWER

Alfred Nicholson, arrested early this week on a charge of rape, had his preliminary hearing yesterday forenoon and was bound over to the superior court. His bail was set at $1,000 and as he is unable to raise the sum is in the county jail. He will be arraigned some time in September.

LADIES AID MEETS

Friendship Circle of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church held a most enjoyable one o'clock luncheon and social time Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. F. Farmer was chairman of the meeting.

DANGER AHEAD!

Only 29 days left to register for the special election, Nov. 7. If you are one of California's million voteless voters, through oversight or misunderstanding, remember this:

If you have never registered
REGISTER NOW!

If you failed to go to the polls last year
REGISTER NOW!

If you have moved since your last registration—
REGISTER NOW!

The deadline for registration is Sept. 28. Register TODAY and VOTE Nov. 7!

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American Women's Freedom

The recent ninety-first anniversary of the first women's rights convention in the United States was observed as "Woman's Independence Day."

The average American woman, however, probably passed it by without any special recognition or observance. The woman of today—regardless whether she lives on a farm, keep house, or works in an office—will find it hard to envisage a day in which women did not have the freedom to permit their full participation in the world in which we live. The progress of independence for women has kept pace with the material and industrial growth of the nation and they have shared in the nation's progress and wealth.

Now that women in other parts of the world are losing their freedom and find their rights abrogated by dictatorial edicts and collectivism the American "Woman's Independence Day" should be observed every day. And it should take the form of a greater interest in those things which safeguard that independence.

Only as women help to preserve and strengthen the foundations upon which the freedom of all of our people rests, only as they become more deeply interested in finding a solution to the problems which face the private enterprise system today—will they be able to retain their independence.

In other countries, where these rights were not guarded vigilantly, women are now relegated to the kitchen, the field and the raising of cannon fodder.—Contributed.

Ham and Eggs

(Reprinted from San Francisco Chronicle)

The cost and turmoil of the special election called November 7 on the fantastic Ham and Eggs scheme, the disruption of State and school funds if it should pass, and the obstacles meanwhile to California financing, all are mortally serious. Yet they perhaps are less in terms of human equation than the bitter disappointment awaiting thousands of older persons deluded by the dazzling fallacies of the scheme.

The fallacy lies in the fervid assurance that "it will not cost anyone anything," and the mass of argument to prove that the impossible is so.

The army of believers who contribute their penny a day to put the scheme across are sincere believers in it. They are in many cases citizens who would spurn a welfare pension, or dependency upon others. And they are indignant with refusal to put into effect a perpetual money making machine that needs only faith to make it work.

This is the pitiable feature of the Ham and Eggs campaign to give everyone over 50 years of age Thirty Dollars Every Thursday in warrants that will be redeemable when $1.04 in stamps have been affixed for each $1 of face value.

Obviously, if such a scheme were feasible, it could be put into operation without any establishment of a $50,000,000 State Credit Bank, or appropriations to carry it on, or tinkering with tax laws, sales taxes and the wages of public employes. And obviously any bank will give a customer $1 for $1.04 in pennies, which is what the State would be directed to do with warrants carrying $1.04 in State issued stamps for each $1 of face value.

The specious arguments made to prove the validity of this scheme and the enthusiasm with which its followers accept them, present a genuine menace in this special election. For the followers will turn out and vote as one. In their ranks is no apathy.

The Ham and Eggs scheme is both dangerous and cruel—dangerous to the public at large, cruel to those who pin their faith upon it. No voter should neglect to go to the polls November 7.

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BLAZE EXTINGUISHED

The Nevada City fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gates on Wet Hill at an early hour Wednesday morning to put out a fire that started in Mrs. Gates bedroom closet from spontaneous combustion. Furniture, bedding and clothes were removed from the building hurriedly and the firemen extinguished the fire before it made much headway. The damage by fire was slight.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rickard of Nevada City are moving to their new home on Gold Flat. It will be two or three days before they are settled in their cosy modern home.

SHOE HOSPITAL is a good place to take worn out or run down shoes.

THINKING OUT LOUD

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ing machine and that of his ally Mussolini on the battlefield.

Entering into, and complicating this crisis are various factors. One of which is that the Polish people have learned their lesson from the Munich pact and now know what to expect from any agreement with Hitler. The Poles are a proud people and even without the experience of Czecho-Slovakia before them, know from the bitter memory of their previous bondage to Germany before the World War, what to expect from Nazi rule. The Poles it seems assured, will fight whether Chamberlain supports them or not. They have suffered too much for their present independence to go down without a struggle. If the Poles resist, undoubtedly other powers will be drawn into the conflict immediately.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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MINERAL APPLICATION NO 032222

JULY 13, 1939.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Empire Star Mines Company, Ltd., whose Post Office address is Grass Valley, California, has made application for patent for three (3) placer mining claims situate in the Willow Valley Mining District, Nevada County, California, in the Southwest quarter of Section 9, Township 16 North, Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, described as follows:

(1) MURCHIE PLACER CLAIM, consisting of the South half of the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 9, Township 16 North, Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

(2) DUKE PLACER CLAIM, consisting of the North half of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 9, Township 16 North, Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

(3) SAILOR PLACER CLAIM, consisting of the South half of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 9, Township 16 North, Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

That the lands adjoining on the North, South, East and West are patented.

That the location notice for the Murchie Placer Claim is recorded in Book "32" of Mining Claims, page 401, Records of Nevada County, California; that the location notice for the Duke Placer Claim is recorded in Book "32" of Mining Claims, page 396, Records of Nevada County, California; that the location notice for the Sailor Placer Claim is recorded in Book "32" of Mining Claims, page 402, records of Nevada County, California.

ELLIS PURLEE,
Register.

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NOTICE

The City Council of Nevada City will receive sealed bids at the City Hall up to eight o'clock Friday evening, August 25 for a police car as follows: four-door sedan, 1939 model, extra heavy duty battery and generator, 6 ply 16x6.00 tires, extra tire, tube, wheel, heater and defroster, two spot lights, hydraulic jack, tools, etc.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Applications will be received and opened for a policeman at this same meeting.

BENJ. HALL,
Mayor.

GEORGE H. CALANAN, Clerk.
Aug. 11, 14, 18, 21, 25.

SAFETY FIRST COMMANDMENTS SET FOR HUNTERS

With the advent of the Dove Hunting Season fast approaching for Nevada county, and with Deer Season not far away, it is apparent that the time has come to once more enunciate some practical rules for keeping hunting accidents at a minimum. While almost every hunter knows the safety-first rules for hunting, he is not always conscious of them. The Sporting Arms and Ammunition Manufacturers' Institute has for this season drawn up following "Ten Commandments of Safety" for hunters:

1. Treat every gun with the respect due a loaded gun. This is the first cardinal rule of gun safety.
2. Carry only empty guns, taken down or with the action open, into your automobile, camp and home.
3. Always be sure that the barrel and action are clear of obstructions.
4. Always carry your gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle even if you stumble.
5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.
6. Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot.
7. Never leave your gun unattended unless you unload it first.
8. Never climb a tree or a fence with a loaded gun.
9. Never shoot at a flat, hard surface, or the sufrace of water.
10. Do not mix gunpowder and alcohol.

MINERS FOUNDRY PUTS IN MILL AT GREENVILLE

The Miners Foundry in Nevada City has a crew of ten men installing a 150 ton daily capacity plant at the Cherokee mine near Greeneville. The plant is about ready to start milling ore. All steel buildings house the mill and other machinery, a protection from fires.

The foundry has just completed installation of a 200 ton daily capacity mill at the Indian Valley property and operations have started. The local foundry sold the complete plant to the mining company.

COMMONWEALTH CLUB TO DEBATE $30 THURSDAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—The Commonwealth Club of California announced today that an impartial analysis of the $30 Every Thursday (Retirement Life Payments) plan is being made by a division or Section of the Club expressly set up for this purpose. Included are both proponents and opponents of the measure.

Meetings of the group are being held semi-weekly at San Francisco to hear speakers on both sides. These meetings will continue until about September 21, at which time the Section will report to the Club proper and shortly thereafter there will be taken a vote of the approximately 4000 members of the club.

ENTERS UNIVERSITY

Jim Hunter who has been employed at Harris Drug Store for some time, has gone to Berkeley to enter the University of California. He registered yesterday. Hunter has resided with his great aunt, Mrs. Adeline Curtis for eight years and graduated from the local high school this spring. He won the Bradley scholarship and also holds high records in chemistry.

NEW TRAFFIC SIGNS

Through the order of the city council, chief of police several new signs were placed in Nevada City yesterday. A new "No U turn" sign was placed in front of the Union office corner of Pine and Broad, and four old style "Stop" signs were replaced with the new reflector signs.

GAME LAW VIOLATION BRINGS $50 PENALTY

Marshall Baumgardner, Yuba river miner, was fined $50 n Justice of the Peace Charles Morehouse's court Wednesday on a charge of having a fawn in his possession without a permit by Game Warden Earl Hiscox. Two weeks ago Baumgardner told the game warden he had found the fawn which was then in his camp. Hiscox told him to take the deer back into the woods and turn it loose and it would find its mother.

Upon Hiscox's visit to the camp early this week he found the fawn and also deer bones about the yard. Baumgardner was fined in 1935 for hunting deer with a spotlight.

Officers picked up the fawn at the camp near Footes Crossing Wednesday and took it to the MacBoyle preserve on the Loma Rica ranch where there are several other deer. The fawn is about two months old. Baumgardner said that he found the fawn caught in a flume and starving.

ORIENTAL MINE

The Oriental mine management has purchased a new 50 ton plant from the Miners Foundry in Nevada City. It is composed of a 50 ton ball mill, filter, flotation cells, automatic solenoid sampler, rock breaker and classifier. Ten one ton specially constructed ore cars were also purchased from the foundry. The mine is about ready to start operations.

Mrs. Kate Wasley of Town Talk entertained members of the B. A. Club at her home Wednesday afternoon with a delicious chicken dinner and afternoon of games and social converse. In games Mrs. Carl Gregor won first, Mrs. Winnifred Rule, second and Mildred Phelan, third.

BASEBALL SUNDAY

The Grass Valley Miners and Woodland baseball nine tangle on Watt Park in Grass Valley Sunday. This is the second game of the series for title in the Sacramento Valley league. If Grass Valley wins the game Sunday it will end the playoff. If Woodland wins another game will have to be played to decide the winner.

E. J. Morgan and wife and Matt Waite of Sacramento drove to Nevada City yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Dave Waite. Mrs. Morgan and Matt Waite are sister and brother of David Waite. Morgan's father, Dave Morgan, was head of the Citizens Bank which was located where the Safeway store is now situated.

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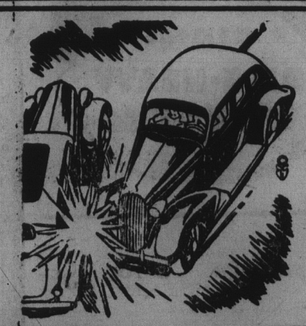

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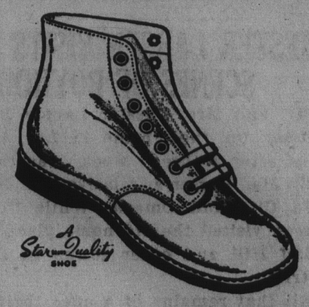

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HOUSES OF DIRT WIN NOTICE FOR ECONOMY

Comfortable, durable, and economical modern homes are rising literally out of the ground in many places these days. They are built of "rammed earth." The ancient Romans knew and used this construction process and Europe has long employed it for small houses and even the churches. Only lately has serious study been given to it in the United States. Journalist Selma Robinson describes the method and some of its modern uses in the current Rotarian magazine.

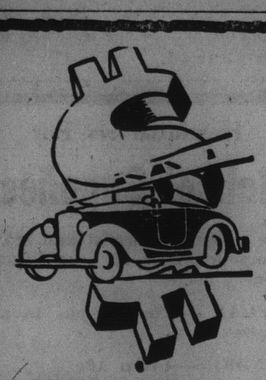
The tecnique is simple, Miss Robinson points out. Into wooden forms loose earth, of proper composition, is shovelled and then stamped—or "rammed"—to stony hardness with flat faced tampers. Allowance for all openings, conduits, and joists must be made as the walls go up. That the walls last is evidenced by a rammed-earth dwelling 166 years old in Washington, D. C., whose walls today.

Rammed-earth walls, says the writer, are notable for their insulating qualities against both heat and cold. They are fireproof, soundproof, and almost sure protection against rodents, vermin and termites. They resist high winds. Exteriors may be stuccoed or painted with a yrotective coating.

Yet with all these advantages there are perhaps only 1,000 rammed earth buildings in the United States. Most of these are farm buildings. However, a number of attractive homes are now either under construction or planned, and there are indications that the use of the method will increase.

Perhaps retarding the widespread promotion of rammed-earth building Miss Robinson finds, is, paradoxically, its relative cheapness. It tends to be less profitable than other methods for commercial builders and architects. Savings in wall costs may run from 25 to 50 per cent over walls of brick or concrete. Interiors are usually conventional design.

Experiments in rammed earth carried on by several institutions, notably South Dakota State College at Brookings, prove its practicality. Hundreds of soils have been tested to find most suitable types. In general, the earth used should be sandy, not heay with clay, and its moisture content is about right as it comes from the ground. Ramming is usually done by hand, but researchers at Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas, have devised a mechanical rammer which presses loose earth into 65 pound blocks. The U. S. Department of Agriculture publishes booklets for those interested in the subject.



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WEDDING CEREMONY AT NATIONAL HOTEL SUNDAY

Invitations are out announcing the marriage next Sunday of Mrs. Irene Pingaree of Nevada City to James Harris of Grass Valley. The wedding ceremony will be held in the second floor drawing room of the National Hotel. The bride to be was the former Miss Irene Eickhoff of Spenceville.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR DECEASED VETERAN

Adrian Torpie of this city received the sad news of the passing of his cousin. Roy Flannery on Wednesday at the veterans hospital at Yountville. Flannery is from Marysville but is well known in the twin cities where he had visited often. Adrian Torpie will attend the military funeral to be held for Flannery in Marysville Saturday.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Ray Murchie, superintendent. There are classes for all ages. Bring the children. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Vocal solo "Selected" Thom Rickard. Sermon "Elijah the Man of God," pastor.

The Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Leader Delbert Williams. Young people do not miss these golden opportunities for you. They will never come to you again. You are only young once. The meetings are instructive and uplifting. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Ten minute song service. Special music two vocal duets by Edward Farley and Simon Crase from Grass Valley. (a) and (b) selected. Sermon "A Leper Healed by Absent Treatment," pastor.

Week events: Prayer hour service Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Study the 3d chapter of St. John Gospel and some prepared to enter into the discussion of that great chapter. If you are not familiar with conversion or the new birth, come Tuesday evening for new light. Young people's prayer hour at Mrs. Norton's home Thursday at 7:30 with Mrs. Singsass in charge.

CHESTER LARSEN VISITS SCENES OF BOYHOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Larsen left Monday for their home in Los Angeles after a three week vacation with Mr. Larsen's relatives in Nevada City and Omega. While here Larsen visited the old home place at Relief Hill and other towns in the district.

All that remains of a once thrifty little city of several hundred people are a school house and three or four houses in Relief Hill. A great portion of the old town site has slid off into the old hydraulic diggings. The houses were torn down years ago, but splendid orchards and other improvements have gone into the slide.

Angus C. Fox of Nevada City and A. O. Richardson of Grass Valley have taken an option on the Sunflower mine in the Rough and Ready district. The shaft is down 200 feet. Unwatering is proceeding and as soon as completed considerable sampling will be done.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR MRS. QUINN

Mrs. Sarah Ellen Quinn died at her home in Downieville late Wednesday evening. Funeral services will be held in the Catholic church in that city at 10 o'clock Saturday morning with Rev. P. O'Reilly rendering mass for repose of her soul. Interment will be made in the Downieville cemetery.

Mrs. Quinn was 71 years of age. She was born in Gold Hill, Nevada and came to Downieville with her parents when nine months old and has resided there ever since. Her kindly deeds to all those in distress about her will ever be remembered. Among relatives surviving her are a son, Joseph Quinn and daughter Mrs. Duncan Cameron.

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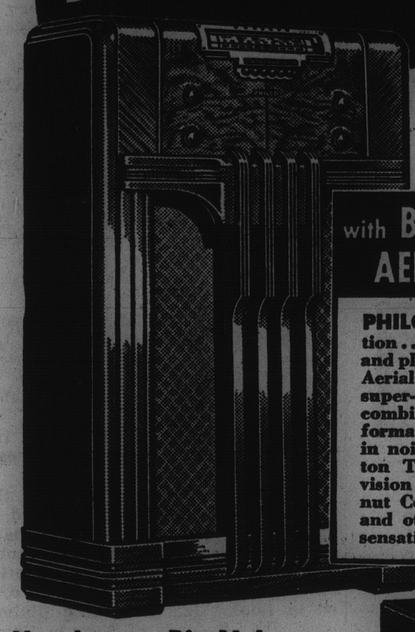

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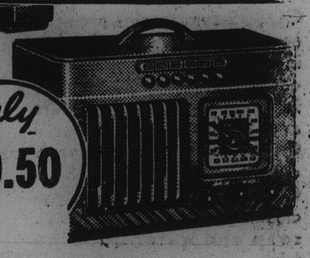

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Yours in Comradeship,
G. PANELLI, Commander.
Banner Mountain Post, No. 2655.

VETERANS ATTENTION

Free dance at Central House Saturday night, August 26. Also attend Nevada City Chamber of Commerce picnic at Skillman's Flat, Sunday, August 27. Everyone go. A good time assured all. Indorsed by Banner Mountain Post, No 32655, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

G. PANELLI, Commander.

Membership Landslide For 1940!

Banner Mt. Auxiliary Holds Card Party

Banner Mt. V. F. W. Auxiliary held their card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Weiss Wednesday evening. High scores in whist were won by W. Winegl, first; second, Mrs. C. Muscardini and consolation Mrs. Mabel Eagan. In bridge awards were, E. Peterson, first; Mrs. M. Vanberg, second, Mrs. P. Falconi, third. At a meeting last evening a new member was initiated into the order. The next social meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Butz.

AMERICANISM

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is primarily dedicated to the principle that seeks to honor the dead by helping the living. The care and welfare of America's disabled veterans, their dependents, and the dependents of America's decease veterans, is the first objective in the V. F. W. program.

The V. F. W. seeks to fulfill this obligation by constantly fighting for legislation which will provide adequate care and protection for America's disabled and needy veterans in the form of hospitalization, compensation, pensions and civil service preference.

The V. F. W. sponsors a national rehabilitation service that is prepared to serve the nation's disabled veterans and prosecute their claims for compensation or pensions without fear or favor.

George M. Cohan, the actor and song writer, composer of "Over There" and other famous World War songs, celebrates his birthday on the Fourth of July, So, no wonder he had the inspiration to write "I'm A Yankee Doodle Dandy."

Commander Wants 25,000 Recruits

In asking for 25,000 new recruits during his term of office, Harold "Billy" Lull, Department Commander, places implicit faith in the loyalty, devotion and sincerity of purpose of the great majority of the members that now constitute the Department of California.

The first problem confronting the new Departmental Administration is membership. An important question is how a new member can be produced and the normal membership kept on the roster without any unnecessary fluctuation.

As the new membership year opens, Post officials are urged to keep a very careful check of delinquent lists and to consider this as a primary prospect list for the coming year. The minute a membership lapses, the name should be added to the prospect lists. In fact every means available should be used to keep a list of prospects that can be referred to members desiring to work.

There can be no higher resolve than that of building a stronger and more enthusiastic membership, that greater service may be rendered to our disabled comrades, to their dependents, and likewise to communities, state, and nation.

The Canal Zone is a strip of land extending five miles on either side of the center line of the Panama Canal. It has an area of 553 square miles. The zone was granted to the United States by the treaty with Panama of February 26, 1904. The United States paid Panama $10.000,000 and $250,000 a year after the ninth year, and subsequently paid Columbia $25,000,000 under the treaty of 1922.

SIBERIAN MISSION RECOVERED DEAD

Many of the achievements of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States during its 40 years' history have been important and constructive development of its major objectives—veteran welfare, child care and Americanism.

On several occasions, however, the V. F. W. achievements have been of such a spectacular nature and dramatic interest that they have attracted the sympathetic attention of the American public as a whole. Such an achievement was that of 1929, known as the Siberian Mission.

After various other veteran and government agencies had failed, the V. F. W. successfully negotiated with the Soviet Republic for the return from North Russia of the bodies of America's World War dead. A total of 226 Americans made the supreme sacrifice during their Russian service. The Graves Registration Department recovered 112 of the bodies and returned them to the United States. Further efforts to locate the remaining were interrupted by the overthrow of the Russian government and the institution of the Soviet Republic.

The V. F. W. Siberian Mission was financed by Congress. Composed exclusively of members of the V. F. W. this group accomplished a hazardous trip to North Russia and, after much grueling effort, located the crude graves of 86 American soldiers who had perished during the A. E. F. Bolsheviki campaign that followed the Armistice.

Lt. Kenneth Bell Post, Pasadena, Calif., during the past few years has donated over a thousand cartons of cigarettes to Veterans hospitals in Southern California.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hullender had as guests Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Lewis of Kansas City.

Arthur Hagart of Redding is visiting with Donald Bosworth for a few days. This is Mr. Hagart's first trip here and he is enjoying his stay.

Mrs. Harrison Randall, clerk at Bolton's Variety Store, is on her two weeks vacation. Her husband, meter reader of the P. G. and E. company, will start on his vacation next week. They plan to spend a week in San Francisco and at the fair.

Fenton Fleming, employee of Weinstocks Store in Sacramento, arrived last week end and is enjoying this week visiting his many friends in his home city. He will leave Saturday for San Francisco and visit the fair.

Miss Catherine Davis of Park avenue returned Saturday from a week spent in San Francisco and the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martz have just returned from a business trip of several weeks spent at Tonopah, Nevada.

John Tognarelli, Eugene Barberi and Fred Reed each brought home a limit of the fine trout Tuesday, the best they have caught so far this season. They have been going fishing two or three times a week but the new fishing district near Downieville is the best so far.

Mrs. Samuel Colt of Phoenix, Arizona, has arrived to visit her sister, Mrs. T. S. Ford who is quite ill.

Mrs. Iva Williamson, city librarian, and sister, Mrs. Margaret Hallett, returned home Sunday from a two weeks vacation spent in San Francisco and at the fair.

C. E. Bosworth went to Redding yesterday after several days in Nevada City. He will return Tuesday to continue with work in Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Moose of Niles have made several visits to the Charles Myers home on the Gracey mine road and became so delighted with this district they purchased a lot near the Charles Wodell home. They are constructing a two car garage and will build a home later.

Nevada Theatre

FRIDAY

HELL'S KITCHEN The "Dead-End" kids in a new type roles. How they reform the roform school, and an ex-gangster as well, forms the novel plot of "Hell's Kitchen."

SATURDAY

TIMBER STAMPEDE George O'Brien stars as a one man cyclone in battling a big swindle in the roaring frontier of the forest country with many a gun fight and plenty of red blooded action.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

DAUGHTERS COURAGEOUS The four daughters are Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane and Gale Page in roles that glow with human happiness, in a plot that grips with human and heroic achievement.

'DAUGHTERS COURAGEOUS' ON SCREEN HERE SUNDAY

All the charm, all the humor, all the pathos, all the simple, human and folksy qualty of last year's memorable "Four Daughters" have been recaptured by Warner Bros. in "Daughters Courageous" which opens Sunday at the Nevada Theatre.

To make the parallel still closer between the two pictures, every member of the cast of the first has a role of equal importance in the new one. The feminine contingent again includes the "four daukhters" Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola Lane, and Gale Page. Fay Bainter, that supreme character actress, has been added to the original cast as the girls mother, and a very welcome addition she is. May Robson is again cast as the crochety, lovable old family standby. The male roles are in the capable hands o John Garfield, Jeffrey Lynn, Claude Rains, Frank McHugh and Dick Foran, with the ever reliable Donald Crisp as a newcomer to the many daughtered family. Furthermore, the director was Michael Curtiz who proves conclusively that the success which attended his efforts in connection with "Four Daughters" was no mere happy accident, that he has a distinct flair for this type of screen tale.

KJORLIE ALLOTS PROGRAMS TO ROTARIANS

H. E. Kjorlie, program chairman for the year, yesterday announced the order in which members of the Rotary club will take charge of the weekly programs through the rest of the year. The schedule follows:

August 31. Report on district convention.

September 7. Fred Garrison. September 14. Bob Tamblyn. September 21. Harley Leete. September 28. Horace Curnow.

October 5. Dick Worth. October 12. Open. October 19. Walter Carlson. October 26. Charles Elliott.

November 2. Otis Brown. November 9. Walter Hawkins. November 16. Bill Tamblyn. November 23. Thanksgiving Holiday. November 30. Frank Finnegan.

December 7. Bob Hendricks. December 14. Nye Johnson. December 21. Christmas program, Bernard Hummelt. December 29. New Years program. Open.

January 4. Bill Cain. January 11. DeWitt Nelson. Jaunary 18. Bob Adamson. January 25. Hal Draper.

February 1. Andy Holmes. February 8. Lincoln program, Charles Elliott. February 15. Bill Lee. February 22. Washington Birthday, Bill Home. February 29. Lou Kopp.

March 7. Art Innes. March 14. DeWitt Nelson, March 21. Lonny Noyes. March 28. Dick Lane.

April 4. April Fool program, Emmett Gallagher. April 11. Andy Larsen. April 18. Walter Carlson. April 25. Bob Hendricks.

May 2. Bernard Hummelt. May 9. Harley Leete. May 16. Nye Johnson, May 23. Andy Holmes. May 30. Memorial Day holiday.

June 6. Open. June 13. Horace Curnow. June 20. Bill Cain. June 27. Bill Tamblyn.

Said Mr. Kjorlie: "Much of our interest in this club is maintained by the character of the weekly meetings. Consistently good programs play a large part in maintaining interest. Insofar as possible try to arrange for your speaker at least two weeks in advance of your assignment. In order that necessary publicity may be given your program, please advise the program chairman as to the nature of the program and interesting facts about the speaker. You will notice that a few special days or special weeks have been listed. Whether or not you wish to have something which conveys the spirit of the day or week observed is entirely up to you."

Miss Delores M. Younkin, 19 and Robert B. Coe, 21, of Grass Valley were married in Reno, on Saturday, August 19. Miss Younkin graduated from the Nevada City high school with the class of 1939 and is popular with the younger set.

Sidney B. Wood, Sr., and son, Sidney B. Wood, Jr., arrived in Grass Valley Saturday evening and continued on to Alleghany Sunday. Sidney Wood, Jr., recently purchased the Plumbago mine at Alleghany. The trip was made in the interests of the property. Sidney Wood, Jr., recently arrived in California after participating in the eastern tennis tournaments. Ed Burns of Hollywood was also in the party.

Thomas R. Caldwell talented musician and former resident of the Nevada City-Chicago Park section ,passed through Nevada City yesterday and called upon former friends. Caldwell returned to his estate in Florida about three years ago and has been chosen supervisor of music in the county in which he resides. He also plays in the symphony orchestra during the winter. He was married while residing in this county and his wife accompanied him to Florida. Due to illness she had to return to California and has been at Ojai for a year. Caldwell is enroute to visit her. son, Bill of Alameda left today for their home after a two day visit with Mrs. Anna Tucker and other friends in Nevada City. Mrs. Erdman was the former Miss Emma Wolf and resided on Coyote street for several years before moving to the bay district. Mr. and Mrs. Erdman have been on their vacation coming here from Lassen National Park.

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